

Forest City and Vicinity

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST, AS RECORDED BY DELPHEUS

Obituary.

Zella Eleanor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hood, living near Bigelow, was born March 23, 1908, and died November 2, 1920, being 12 years, 8 months and 10 days of age. Zella was sick only a few days, but those were days of intense suffering. Our consolation is, she is now in a world where suffering and sorrow are no more. We are at a loss to explain why a bright, young life should be taken from among us, leaving such a vacancy in our hearts, but surely these ties broken here on earth will bind us the closer to the world where our treasure should be. She leaves to mourn her departure, father, mother, three sisters, four brothers, many other relatives and friends; one brother and sister having gone on before. The funeral service was held at the home, conducted by Albert Martin, of Forest City. On account of the inability of the large number present to find room in the house, the service was held in the yard. A splendid choir sang beautifully. A number of Zella's schoolmates from Bigelow attended with their teachers. Interment in Boyd cemetery. A. M.

Surprised.

On Wednesday, Nov. 3, 1920, as Mr. H. A. Bruner and family, residing on the Oregon-Forest City road, were preparing to partake of their evening meal, they found their premises suddenly taken possession of by a merry throng of friends and neighbors, laden with baskets, tubs and bundles. Mr. Bruner and family were ushered into the parlor to the easy chairs, where they were entertained, while a mysterious commotion was taking place in the kitchen and dining room. Soon the crowd was invited to the dining room, where, with the Bruners as guests of honor, an elegant supper was served, in a cafeteria, by the ladies present, to which all did ample justice, especially Mr. Bruner. When all had been served the gentlemen rolled up their sleeves, donned their aprons and washed the ten-towel.

The rest of the evening was spent with music, games and conversation, and a grand time was reported by all. There were some fifty present, the only out-of-town guest being Miss Mary Kaucher, of St. Joseph.

All departed at a late hour, wishing Mr. Bruner and family health, happiness and prosperity in their new home. N. X.

—James Foster, of St. Joseph, came up Monday, and visited with his friends, while enroute to Horace, Kansas, to visit his brother, George.

—Our teachers went to Kansas City, Wednesday evening, where they are in attendance at the State Teachers' Association meeting, the latter part of this week.

—Hugh Cottier and James Kennish, of Mound City, were in our city Monday afternoon.

—Otis and Marvin Norris shipped a car load of hogs to the St. Joseph market, Monday.

—Chas. Johnson, of St. Joseph, was a business visitor in our city, Monday, and while here visited with his sister, Mrs. Adam Schaeffer and family.

—Pat Stegmiller and family have moved onto the Jeff Hulse farm, in the Exodos district.

—George Brown returned to his home in Altamont, Mo., Monday, after attending the funeral of his son, Carl, at Oregon, last Saturday.

—Chas. Sentney and P. V. Scott shipped a car load of hogs to the St. Joseph market, Tuesday.

—Mrs. Mary Chambers, of Visalia, California, came Sunday and made a visit here at the J. W. Fitzmaurice home, and from here she went to Mound City, where she is visiting with relatives and friends.

—J. E. Alkire and daughter, Miss Mary, and son, Eljah, Jr., were St. Joseph visitors, Tuesday.

—For Sale—Two H. P. Engine, on truck, and power washer; almost new; or will sell engine alone.

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—Mrs. O. E. Emery entertained her Sunday school class, Friday night, Nov. 5. Members present were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kollmer, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cottier, John Turney, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Turney. Other guests were: Rev. and Mrs. Henry Neighbours, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fitzmaurice, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kollmer and Dwight Bruner. Refreshments were served. At a late hour, all departed for their homes, thanking Mr. and Mrs. Emery for a pleasant evening.

—Mrs. O. E. Emery made a business trip to St. Joseph, Tuesday.

—P. H. Rundle came in Tuesday from Concordia, Kansas, and is making a visit here with his daughter, A. W. Cottrell and family.

—F. F. Alkire is having his building, occupied by the Birmingham Cafe, papered and painted. Marion Cooper is doing the work. The sides will be painted yellow and brown.

—Earl and Lee Stepperson and Ezra Smith shipped a car of hogs from here to St. Joseph, Tuesday.

—A surprise dinner was given Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Kirk, it being Mr. Kirk's birthday and their 26th wedding anniversary. The afternoon was spent in music and conversation. They departed wishing them many more years of happiness. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. C. E. Sentney, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wampler, Mr. and Mrs. A. Schaeffer and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Schaeffer, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Noland, Raymond and Eldon Watson, Thomas and Rose Kirk.

—Tom Steenbacher shipped a car of hogs from here to the St. Joseph market, Tuesday.

—We understand that "Bud" Bala, of the Highland district, is on the sick list with typhoid. His many friends around here hope for his recovery soon.

—Elva Bruner spent Saturday and Sunday with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Evans, in Kinsey district.

—M. G. Boyler returned to his home on Route 4, last Thursday, from Wyoming, Montana, and Montrose, Colo., where he has been spending the past summer with relatives and friends.

—We are glad to hear that Mrs. Anna Efner is much better, after being on the sick list two weeks.

—Dwight Bruner was visiting Saturday and Sunday with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kollmer.

—Thomas Kirk, Jr., and Floyd Sipes spent Sunday night in St. Joseph.

—Mrs. John Sipes, of Oregon, took dinner and spent the day, Monday, at the J. T. Scott home.

—James Stanton, of Fillmore, was a business visitor in our city, Monday.

—Dan Hahn, Jr., shipped a car of hogs to the St. Joseph market, Monday.

—Mrs. T. P. Fitzmaurice and daughter, Miss Marjorie, of St. Joseph, came up last week and spent several days on their farm here.

—Pearl Wallace, who has been working in the Red Bros. restaurant, quit last week, and Alfred Dunn has taken his place.

—Rev. Henry Neighbours and wife spent the day, Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kollmer.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cotton and Bert, of this city, and Mrs. Lewis Kimmel and son, Paul, of Bigelow, spent Sunday with Wm. Baker and Mrs. Emma Holtgrave. Mrs. Kimmel and son also spent Sunday night at the Wm. Dobbs home, returning home Monday morning.

—Curtis Raiser was a business visitor in St. Joseph, Thursday.

—Earl Schaeffer came in from Holyoke, Colo., Sunday and is making a visit here with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schaeffer.

—Miss Dora Baker spent Sunday with Miss Margaret Martin.

—Judge D. C. Stallard received a letter from his wife, last week, who is with her sick sister, Mrs. Selt Stone, at Ransau, Texas, stating that Mrs. Stone is much better after being on the sick list, which we are glad to hear.

—The L. L. C. club met with Mrs. Ralph Meyer, last Thursday afternoon. After reading a while, Mrs. Meyer, assisted by her sister, Miss Mabel Smith, served dainty refreshments, after which the club adjourned to meet next time with Mrs. B. E. Mitchell. The members present were: Mrs. A. J. Cotton, Mrs. O. E. Emery, Mrs. Perry

Turney, Mrs. C. C. France, Mrs. B. E. Mitchell, Mrs. A. J. Lyons, and the hostess, Mrs. Meyer and sister.

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